

Days, weeks, months and the calendar

WHAT THIS LESSON TEACHES

A week is always seven days from Monday to Sunday. The same weekday returns after exactly seven days on the calendar.

- Monday to Sunday is one full week; the same weekday returns after 7 days.
- Saturday the 7th plus 7 days is Saturday the 14th.

MODEL THIS ON THE BOARD

COUNTING SEVEN DAYS AHEAD ON THE CALENDAR

- 1 Start at the given date on the classroom calendar.
- 2 Count forward exactly seven days in the weekday columns.
- 3 The date seven days later falls on the same weekday.

ANSWER KEY

a) Tuesday

b) 10th

Q1: Monday

Q2: the 10th

Q3: Saturday

Q4: 31

a) Always — The calendar rule fixes every week at seven days.

b) Always — Adding seven days always lands on the same weekday.

c) Never — Months have 28, 29, 30 or 31 days.

d) Sometimes — It depends on the starting weekday of the month.

EXTENSION SHEET · STRETCH ANSWERS

S1: 23:43

S2: 21:33

S3: 07:31

Investigation: Map your week — open-ended; scan pupils' working for valid solution paths rather than a single answer.